

## **Kinsale Golf Club Men's Winter Leagues Rules**

- 1. The league will be played over six rounds, dates will be determined by the Men's Committee.
- 2. Each team will consist of six players.
- 3. Applications forms available in the Pro Shop. Completed forms and an entry fee of €20 for each player must be paid before competition commences.
- 4. The team's best four scores to count in each round.
- 5. The best four round totals to count for each teams over-all points total.
- 6. Top fifteen teams will qualify for a play-off final to determine the overall winner.
- 7. In the event of a tie for fifteenth place, then
  - The teams total of the best five round totals will be used to determine who qualifies.
  - If this doesn't separate the teams, then the total of all six round scores will be totalled.
  - If this doesn't generate a result, a count back will be used. The scorecard of the sixth best score of each team in round six will initially be used as the count back working through each player until teams are separated.
- 8. Each round will be played in conjunction with the Competition of the Day.
- 9. All players must sign in on the computer in the Pro Shop. If playing in the Competition of the Day and the Winter League players must sign into both competitions.
- 10. All players must enter their scores into the computer on completion of their round.
- 11. Failure to return a score for the Winter League will be regarded as a "No Return" and zero points will be recorded against the player.
- 12. Cards unsigned by a player or their marker will mean disqualification for that round and zero points will be recorded against the player.
- 13. Handicap adjustments will be applied on a weekly basis in accordance with "Kinsale Golf Club Men's Winter Golf" document. This can be viewed on the Kinsale Golf Club website by highlighting "MEMBERS AREA" and selecting "Club Docs".
- 14. Scores and a league table will be published on a weekly basis on BRS on the earliest possible day and before the following round.

## Players with Undeveloped Handicaps

Players with undeveloped playing handicaps wishing to play in the Winter League will be subject to a handicap adjustment as follows:

• Initial handicap index allocated frozen at the start of winter golf, divided by qualifying rounds for handicap required (20), multiplied by the qualifying rounds played.

- A player with an initial handicap index allocation of 10.7 and has 15 qualifying rounds played would work out as 10.7 / 20 x 15 = 8.0, thus he would get a winter playing index of 8.
- A player with an initial handicap index allocation of 10.7 and has 18 qualifying rounds played would work out as 10.7 / 20 x 18 = 9.6, thus he would get a winter playing index of 10.

The Final will be played on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2026. Winter League kindly sponsored by Roadstone Ltd.

## **Men's Committee**

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